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Richard E. Michaelson

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-3, 14-21, 34-39, and 41, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.